

STAR—Today
EARL WILLIAMS in
"The Romance
Promoters"
A delightful comedy-drama,
with a novel and humorous
love story.
Also a Dandy Comedy
Friday—Enid Bennett in
"SILK HOSIERY"
And "The Hawk's Trail"

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Princess Theater
—Today—
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A beauty picture, that's all
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Friday—Tom Mix in
"THE ROAD DEMON"
The most thrilling picture
Mix has ever made.

**SUNDAY MORNING
EDITION OF DAILY
WILL APPEAR ON
2ND OF OCTOBER**

**ew Mechanical Equipment
Arrives and Now is Being
Installed**
**ANY NEW FEATURES
FOR DAILY READERS**
**Our Page Comic Supplement
Will Comprise Most Popular
Drawings**

Barring any unforeseen and un-
avoidable delays, the first edition of
the Sunday morning issue of The Al-
bany-Decatur Daily will be publish-
ed on October 2.

A complete casting box and "rout-
ing" together with a Miller saw ar-
rived this morning and will be placed
in the next few days. This addi-
tional mechanical equipment will en-
able The Daily to make its own cuts
on mats, thus saving local and for-
eign advertisers considerably money
by permitting the newspaper to pub-
lish many additional desirable news
pictures.

The Daily has contracted with The
Features Syndicate, of New
York, which company syndicates and
acts as selling agents for practical-
ly all of the better known newspaper
features, for the following services:
1. A four page comic supplement,
carrying "Bringing Up Father",
"Arny Google", "Katzman's kids",
"Just Boy". This will give The
Daily one of the most attractive and
well balanced comic supplements on
the market. The supplement will be
printed in black and white only.

2. A Daily magazine page as pro-
vided. The page of features in-
cludes such well known features as
Dr. Copeland's Health Talks, "Hold-
ing a Husband", cartoons, others
daily as interesting.

3. Daily strip comic "Polly and her
Pals". This feature will make its
appearance during the week in the
regular issues of The Daily, as will
be of the features of the magazine
page.

4. A half page of news picture
cuts, as produced by the International
News Service. These pictures will
appear in all issues of The Daily.
In addition to all of the above, the
Sunday issue of The Daily will re-
ceive a complete wire report from the
International News Service.

The Sunday issue will not compete
with the larger papers in point of
number of pages, as has been stated
before, but the management of this
paper will endeavor to give its
readers the biggest little paper in
a country.

The present readers of the six-day
paper will receive the Sunday issue
without additional cost. This amounts
to a drastic reduction in subscription
costs of the paper and places The
Daily within reach of every family
in this section.

For those who desire a weekly
paper and not a daily, The Sunday
Daily will be marketed at \$1.50 a year
mail. This offer is for out-of-town
subscribers only, inasmuch as postal
regulations prohibit the delivery of
newspapers within the city by post-
office carriers.

Good Old John Robinson's Big Circus Comes to Town Tomorrow

"Ain't it great, fellas? Circus
min' tomorrow."

And you can bet it is. And it's
good old John Robinson circus at
it—just what, according to those
who have seen it, three rings and two
ages chock full of everything that
it takes to make up a rapid-fire, quick
turn, up-to-date, regular, top-notch
show, with all that goes with it, from
clowns to clowns.

The show will arrive during the
early hours of the morning, and as
quickly as possible the horses and the
elephants and the camels and the
final cages and the band wagons
and the other paraphernalia of the
show will be unloaded and hur-
ried out to the grounds, where the
entire city will be erected and pre-
parations made for the long prelimi-
nary street parade and the two huge
and lively performances that are sched-
uled to follow.

The first performance takes place
two o'clock, and the final one at
P. M. The doors will be opened an
hour earlier to afford visitors an op-

ATTORNEYS PREDICT "FATTY" ARBUCKLE WILL BE FREE SOON

(International News Service.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—
"Fatty" Arbuckle will be home again
in Los Angeles Sunday, it was pre-
dicted today by attorneys represent-
ing the film star. The attorneys be-
lieve the charge of murder filed
against the comedian will be dropped
and that Arbuckle will be released
under bond pending a hearing on a
charge of manslaughter returned by a
coroner's jury.

While there will be no let up in
their investigation the detective bu-
reau, working in conjunction with the
district attorney's office, believes the
case against Arbuckle is practically
complete. Demand was made by the
coroner's jury in its verdict charging
Arbuckle with manslaughter, that
steps be taken by all officials con-
cerned to prevent recurrence in San
Francisco of such affairs as that
staged by Arbuckle which had a fatal
ending.

The same sentiment was expressed
at a meeting of the Woman's Vigil-
ance committee.

NEGROES FLEE IN FACE OF ATTACK

(International News Service)
CHATTANOOGA, Sept. 15.—Race
rioting which broke out at Mont Lake
yesterday afternoon continued
until all negroes had been driven
from the village. The disorders fol-
lowed the shooting of four white girls
by a negro girl, following an argu-
ment over the use of a spring, the
property of the Mont Lake coal com-
pany.

Between 35 and 50 negroes fled
from Mont Lake when a mob of in-
furiated miners, armed with shot
guns, rifles, picks and axes, drove
them from their homes. The fleeing
negroes, carrying their possessions
with them, were scattered on the
roads from Mont Lake to Daisy, some
camping by the wayside and others
pressing on to Chattanooga.

Parcel Post to Russia Opened

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Parcel
post service is now open to Russia as
well as regular mail service, the post
office department announced today.
This service was discontinued during
and immediately after the war be-
cause of unsettled conditions in Rus-
sia. Unregistered parcels now can be
sent to Russia in Europe and Russia
in Asia, except the Ukraine and
Turkistan by way of England.

TWO WOMEN SHOT

(International News Service)
BELFAST, Sept. 15.—Two women
were shot during a violent outbreak
of rioting here this afternoon. Re-
volvers were fired and stones were
thrown. The police were powerless
to disperse the mobs and soldiers
with machine guns were summoned.

Girl, Clothed in Men's Attire, Is Held by Police

Youthful Prisoner is
Given Attire Thru
Ladies' Efforts

Local officials have been puzzled
two days over what to do with a
young girl, who gives her name as
"Mollie Murphy", of Huntsville.

The young girl was detained by
the Decatur police and is declared to
have been dressed in men's clothing.
The Decatur city jail has but one
compartment, so the youthful prisoner
was transferred to the woman's com-
partment of the county jail.

Through the efforts of several in-
terested local ladies the girl was sup-
plied with clothing of her sex and
efforts are being made to place her
in some institution where she may
receive wholesome training.

CITY LOSES INITIAL ROUND IN BATTLE ON PAVING COSTS

The City of Albany yesterday lost
its first round in the legal battle over
the street paving assessments in Al-
bany when Judge O. Kyle upheld the
plaintiffs in mandamus proceedings
instigated by Spragins, Fletcher,
Beard and Knight (purchasers of the
Decatur Land company, seeking the
court to order that municipal authori-
ties accept a lesser bond in assess-
ment appeal cases than the authori-
ties asked.

The plaintiffs sought an order re-
quiring the authorities to accept a
bond in the sum double the amount of
the cost in the case, in lieu of a bond
in the sum of double the amount of
the assessment.

Judge Kyle ruled in favor of the
plaintiffs at a hearing yesterday
afternoon. The plaintiffs were rep-
resented by Callahan and Harris,
while the city was represented by
City Attorney Tidwell. The city gave
notice of an appeal.

TWO TRAIN ROBBERS ARE SHOT TO DEATH BY ARMED GUARDS

(International News Service)
FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 15.—
Two train robbers were instantly kil-
led near here today when they at-
tempted to secure a registered mail
pouch from the mail car on train
Number 11 of the Texas and Pacific
railroad. Government agents had been
informed that a hold up was to be
staged and operatives waited with
sawed-off shot guns and rifles.

When the robbers put up a fight
they were riddled with bullets.

NEGRO HANGED FOR MURDER OF GIRL

(International News Service)
CENTERVILLE, Ala., Sept. 15.—
Clyde Thomas, negro, was hanged in
the county jail here this morning for
the murder of 14 year old Annie Lee
Wallace, a white girl, August 6.

State troops escorted Thomas from
Birmingham where he had been con-
fined since his conviction to Centerv-
ille this morning to prevent mob
violence which had been threatened.
A large crowd, which had gathered at
the depot here, dispersed at the order
of Captain E. E. Jackson, command-
ing the troops.

Thomas told newspaper men a
short time before he was executed
that he was drunk when he killed the
Wallace girl. Relatives of the girl
witnessed the hanging.

Twelve Are Killed IN AN EXPLOSION

(International News Service)
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—
Twelve dead, seven probably fatally
burned and more than a score seriously
injured is the toll today of an
explosion and oil fire at the Point
Breeze plant of the Atlantic Refining
company here.

Leaking oil vapor coming into con-
tact with fire under several big high
pressure stills is believed responsible
for the explosion. Seven of the dead
have been identified so far. The
bodies were charred almost beyond re-
cognition.

A blinding flash with a column of
flame, leaping 200 feet into the air,
was the first warning workmen had
of the disaster.

Society Leaders Want Wine Back

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 15.—Soci-
ety men and women of this city at a
meeting last night decided to take
a prominent part in the Liberty Day
parade, October 1, asking for the re-
turn of light wines and beer. They
went on record as being opposed to
the return of whiskey and the saloon.

Mrs. Oscar Nixon, one of the society
leaders, declared that it was the la-
boring man who was suffering be-
cause of prohibition of wine and beer,
because the society man and woman
could get their liquor whenever they
wanted it.

Juvenile Court for Huntsville

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-
Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 15.—
L. B. Green, and Miss E. L. Rider, ex-
tension field agents for the state de-
partment of child welfare, are in Ma-
dison county at the present time as-
sisting in the organization of a juve-
nile court. This court, it is understood
will be thoroughly modern and will
conform in every particular with the
regulations prescribed by law, as well
as with the recommendations already
announced by the department for such
courts and their work.

REFUSED REPRESENTATION

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-
Decatur Daily.)
LONDON, Sept. 15.—The Ulster
unionists have requested representa-
tion at the proposed Irish peace con-
ference at Inverness, but were refused
by Premier Lloyd George.

ELOQUENT APPEAL FOR DECISION FOR JESUS IS MADE BY EVANGELIST JONES

"Judgment" Subject of Minister
Speaking to Another Over-
flow Crowd

MASONS ARE SPECIAL
GUESTS AT THE SERVICE

Hearers Reminded That They
Must Face Their Sins
Sometimes

Program For Friday
10 A. M.—Cottage Prayer meet-
ings, all districts.
11 A. M.—Party conference.
12 noon—Shop meetings.
4 P. M.—Bible exposition at the
Tabernacle, Bob Jones.
7:30 P. M.—Song service: Sermon
by Bob Jones.
High School night.

RAIDERS CONTINUE Drive on Stills

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-
Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 15.—
Deputies of the state law enforcement
department, Wednesday, reported the
capture of three 6 gallon capacity
stills and a large quantity of beer,
in the Cool Springs neighborhood,
Crenshaw county. In Russell coun-
ty, it is stated, the law enforcers
seized a 500 gallon capacity still and
400 gallons of beer; arresting one
man on a charge of operating the
outfit. A forty gallon capacity still
and 66 barrels of beer were taken
into custody following a raid in Shel-
by county. In both Shelby and Rus-
sell, the state officers were assisted
by sheriff's deputies.

Three Blocks of Buildings Burned

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Three square
blocks of buildings at Rockaway
beach, a Long Island shore resort, are
in ruins today following a fire started
early this morning in one of the cot-
tages. Damage is estimated at \$1,-
000,000. Several guests are missing
and firemen are searching the ruins
in an attempt to find the bodies.
Several firemen were overcome by
smoke, but were rescued by their
comrades.

CONVICT KILLED

(International News Service)
JOILET, Ill., Sept. 15.—Theodore
Schiller, of Chicago, was killed by
guards yesterday when he and Carlos
Stepana, notorious Chicago gun man
and Edward Thorpe, also of Chicago,
attempted a spectacular escape from
the penitentiary here. Stepana and
Thorpe made their escape.

MOORS IS VISITOR

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 15.—
Special—One of the most distinguish-
ed callers at the state capital in re-
cent months, John Trotwood Moore,
director of the Tennessee state de-
partment of archives and history, cel-
ebrated poet and novelist, and a na-
tive of Marion, Ala., was received
at the statehouse Wednesday with
sincere pleasure by his many friends.

TRADE STIMULATED IN ALBANY-DECATUR

With Cotton Up and Men Going Back to
Work at the Shops, Business Out-
look for Fall Improved

The recent increase in the price of
cotton, the opening of the hosiery
mill here Monday and a report that
the Louisville and Nashville shops will
re-employ about fifty members of the
car department, who were laid off
some time ago, have combined to
stimulate business in the Twin Cities
and now local merchants are look-
ing forward to a good fall trade with
a great deal of optimism.

One local business man told The
Daily several days ago that already
his trade for September 1921 has
surpassed the mark for the entire
month of September 1922. "Previous
to that time our trade had not shown
an increase since last fall. That is,
no month in 1921 had shown an in-
crease over the corresponding month

G. O. P. WILL START WORK ON ALASKAN POLICY VERY SOON

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The
administration will take the first
step in the formation of its new Al-
askan policy soon after the reassem-
bling of congress, it was learned today.
Conferences on legislation to consoli-
date the various governmental agen-
cies having to do with Alaska are
awaiting the return to Washington of
Secretary of the Interior Fall who
has been making an extensive tour
of the west. Chairman Curry, of the
house territories committee, will re-
port favorably a bill providing for the
control of Alaskan internal develop-
ments by a board to be located per-
manently in Alaska and to have ju-
risdiction subject only to review by
the Secretary of the Interior.

The bill will consolidate various
governmental bureaus having charge
of Alaskan mines, lands, waters, timber,
fish and other natural resources now
scattered through the departments of
the interior, agriculture and com-
merce.

Income Taxes Are Being Collected

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Ameri-
can tax payers today are paying to
the collectors of the internal revenue
department the third installment of
their income taxes. The treasury de-
partment said the total collections will
be about \$525,000,000. A week will
be required to tabulate all the pay-
ments.

Still Explodes and Two Persons Killed

(International News Service)

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 15.—Two
men are dead, a woman and her fifteen
year old son are in a hospital here,
seriously burned as a result of the
explosion of a 500 gallon liquor still
late Wednesday. The men were
burned to death by the flaming al-
cohol. The woman and boy may re-
cover. Too much pressure on the
still was blamed for the explosion.

BOND ISSUE ASKED

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 15.—
Special—In a petition filed Wednes-
day with the Alabama public service
commission, the Mobile Gas Company
asks authority to issue bonds to the
amount of \$5,000,000; also that they
be permitted to float \$600,000 on
these bonds at once. The commission
has set Wednesday, September 21,
as the date upon which a hearing of
the petition will be held at the state
capitol.

HOSPITAL OPENS

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 15.—
Special—Alabama's newest hospital
has just been incorporated at Clanton,
under the name of the Central Ala-
bama Hospital, according to formal
notice received Tuesday in the office
of the secretary of state. The insti-
tution has an authorized capital stock
of \$3,800.

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ANTI-REPUBLICAN PLOT UNEARTHED BY GERMAN CHIEFS

(International News Service)

BERLIN, Sept. 15.—A revolution-
ary organization with national ram-
ifications, involving militarists, anti-
semitists, royalists who were pledg-
ed to remove objectionable republicans
and work against the republican gov-
ernment has been discovered by the
police, it was revealed here today.
The persons behind the organiza-
tion are said by the police to have
been responsible for the assassination
of Matthias Erzberger, leader of the
centrum party. Many arrests have
been made, especially in Bavaria,
which is now said by Berlin govern-
ment officials to be a hot bed of
royalist agitation.

Some of the prisoners were former
soldiers and participants in the Von
Kapp revolution in 1920. Others were
former naval officers.

SWEET POTATO INDUSTRY GROWS

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany-
Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 15.—
An important step forward in the de-
velopment of a comparatively new
industry in Alabama, has been taken
in the incorporation of the Pike coun-
ty Sweet Potato Company at Troy.
This new firm which will engage in
the business of growing, buying and
curing sweet potatoes, has an autho-
rized capital stock of \$10,000 with
\$3,760 paid in. The incorporators are
John H. Wilkerson, H. P. King and
J. A. Curtis. First information of the
formation of the company to reach
Montgomery was contained in formal
notice of incorporation filed in the
office of the secretary of state, Wed-
nesday.

Another new firm to file articles of
incorporation in the office of the
secretary of state Wednesday was
The Ready To Wear Store, of Par-
ish. The firm which will engage in
a general merchandise business
and which has an authorized, paid in
capital stock of \$6,000 is incorpo-
rated by Samuel Edelman, Sam A.
Cohen and B. Zorelo.

Gompers Threatens Suit for Slander

(International News Service)

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 15.—Samuel
Gompers, president of the American
Federation of Labor, at a speech here
before members of the Amalgamated
Association of Street Car Employees,
threatened to bring suit for slander
against former Governor Joseph
Brown, of Georgia, and challenged
him to prove certain statements in ad-
vertisements which he said were cir-
culated by Mr. Brown.

These statements, Gompers said,
charged Gompers and President Ma-
hon, of the street car men's union, as
accessories in murders growing out of
strikes.

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FEEDING THE COTTON MARKET GRADUALLY

Reports from all parts of the South show conclusively that those who have a supply of the fleecy staple are determined to hold it for a better price than is now offered. It is pointed out that there are those in sympathy with the producers in holding their cotton, realizing there is greater risk in dumping a large number of bales on the market, than in feeding them in as the market may demand. Nothing like as much cotton has been thrown upon the market since its phenomenal rise, as was expected, and the opinion is prevailing that there is a considerable margin between the present price, around 20 cents, and the top of the market. For the next few weeks the cotton marketing system in the South will be put to a severe test—the right solution being found in a gradual liquidation of cotton values. Just now actual cotton is reported hard to get hold of, and that the mills are demanding more and more. But as so many million dollars must soon be paid into the federal treasury, necessarily some large stocks of cotton must be sold, in order that the South shall have ready money to pay its taxes.

This situation will have a tendency to "bear" the market, unless due safe guards are resorted to. The natural tendency to "bull" the market will be checked by the demands for money, for income taxes and other taxes. But after all, the big, hopeful thing about the whole cotton situation is that as long as cotton remains around twenty cents, even if it goes little higher for the present, the South will benefit greatly. The rise in cotton has proven to be a tonic that has done everybody good. It has encouraged smiles, where frowns were beginning to show themselves. It has made appetites better, and has been conducive to sound slumber. Unless cotton has arisen from the "slough of despond," it seemed destined to have pulled many Southerners down with it. As winter approached we would not have felt so sustained and soother, had king cotton not asserted his real worth, and demanded a higher price per pound.

THE HOSPITAL

Bob Jones, the evangelist, announced last night that a subscription would be taken at the Tabernacle meeting at next Sunday night's service for the benefit of the Benevolent hospital. Among the many things for which Mr. Jones may be commended, this is perhaps among the most meritorious. Here will be given an opportunity to aid an institution that is the most deserving in this section of substantial support. It aids suffering humanity as nothing else will.

THE SOUTH AND EDUCATION

It was to be expected that "A. B. C.'s" strictures on education in the South, in a letter to the Evening Post the other day, would call forth comment. Several correspondents have made inquiry as to what the situation really is.

In asserting that the Southern states have no state aid for common schools and no compulsory education laws "A. B. C." was seriously mistaken. Whatever may be the matter with education in the South, this is not it. The Southern states have state aid for elementary education—indeed, until recently the proportion of school costs paid by the state was greater in the South than in other sections of the country. Nor can lack of compulsory education laws any longer be held up as a reproach to the South, for, while local enforcement may not be entirely what it should, every one of the Southern states has a compulsory law. Mississippi, the last state without such a law, passed one in 1917.

The real difficulty with education in the South is poverty, both real and fancied. The financial burdens of the Civil War, the payment of state pensions, support of a double system of schools—these, combined with the fact that the School has always been preeminently an agricultural section, with comparatively few centers of industrial wealth, have been heavy handicaps upon the development of public education. In particular they have habituated the people of the South to the feeling that they could hardly ever hope to support schools properly. The South needs to be shown that it really has the money for education. A recent Government survey of a well known Southern city, made at the request of the city itself, surprised the citizens by demonstrating, on the basis of the city's own figures, that instead

of being a poor community it was one of the wealthiest of its size in the United States. Similarly the State of Alabama took stock a short time ago and discovered that it had resources, educational and financial, that would enable it to maintain a much better school system than any one had believed possible. The South is rapidly awakening both to its educational needs and to its resources.—New York Evening Post.

"ALABAMA CITRON" AS A STANDARD PRODUCT

The Age-Herald published a few days ago an interesting communication from an Athens, Ala., lady on the subject of "Alabama Citron." She referred to the delicious conserve made of watermelon rind with an admixture of sugar and spices. There is a standard recipe for this delicious preparation familiar to most of the good housewives of the state.

This lady suggests that "Alabama citron" be made a standard Alabama product. She would have the girls' canning clubs make a specialty of it and have the men and women of the state call for it at hotels and restaurants. She believes the forth-coming state fair would afford an excellent opportunity for starting a campaign to give it nation-wide popularity.

The citron preserve made from watermelon rind has no superior. Many prefer it to the imported citron because it is softer, more easily masticated and more quickly digested. It can certainly be made and sold at a profit much under the cost of the imported article.

The guava jelly of Florida became famous because it was regularly made, standardized, advertised and placed on the market as a staple product. "Alabama citron" could be as popular and as famous. It is just a matter of making it an Alabama business.—Age Herald.

SCIENCE HAS SIX FOLLIES, AND PERPETUAL MOTION IS THE CHIEF

Invention of a perpetual motion machine is claimed by Richard Ullram, of New York. He has organized the Perpetual Motion Power. Heat & Light Company and is offering \$25,000,000 worth of stock at 10 cents a share.

Don't crowd! Mr. Ullram's great problem will be to fight off pirates. For the Patent Office, recognizing that perpetual motion as a scientific fallacy, long since made a rule against issuing patents on any contraption supposed to run forever without outside aid.

Perpetual motion never has been achieved except in spending by Congress.

Six follies of science—six things neither you nor any one else can do.

Perpetual motion is one. In 1874 many thought John Keely, Philadelphia carpenter, had invented it. The Keely Motor gave wonderful results. But it got its power from compressed air, secretly conveyed. The fraud was exposed after the inventor died. He sold much stock.

Squaring the circle and multiplication of the cube are two other impossibilities. They have driven many mathematicians crazy.

Fourth scientific folly is magic—the Black Art which mediaeval sorcerers sought and pretended they found. Magic would mean doing Thurston's tricks without sleight-of-hand or other fakery.

Fifth scientific fallacy is the Elixir of Life. Ponce de Leon sought it in a fabled Fountain of Youth. Voronoff, of Paris, seeks it in monkey glands.

Sixth scientific fallacy is transmutation of metals—conversion of iron or lead or other baser metals into gold or silver.

That men like Richard Ullram still attempt to achieve the six follies of science, shows that there is always someone who refuses to believe that anything is impossible.

It is man's nature to deny that he is limited in his powers. Laughed at, jeered, he defies precedent—and thereby makes progress. This spirit may not achieve the original goal, but it will accomplish something. Thus Glauber, who devoted a lifetime to attempting to change lead into gold, discovered a very useful salt that bears his name.

Professor Frederick Soddy, of Oxford, says that when man has enough radium and can work with 1,000,000 volts of electricity, he may really be able to change lead into gold.

Six follies of science, we call them now. But will future man solve them and look back and laugh at us?

Flying was once called the seventh folly of science. It has been taken off the list.—Anniston Star.

One can now take \$10,000 to Germany and be a millionaire; but two difficulties intervene, getting the ten thousand and having to live in Germany.

Figuratively speaking only, Japan has gotten out of the Chinese province of Shantung.

The reel of real life as lived by Fatty Arbuckle, does not appear so attractive as did the make believe existence he lived on the screen.

Granted your friend Henry Ford, is not offering as much for the Shoals as some want him to pay—the question still remains, who is offering any more than Henry?

Amusement

CAMERA SKILL IN "SILK HOSIERY" IS AMAZING

PRINCESS TODAY

The amazing skill of the artist's and artisans of the modern motion picture studio is evidenced in the unusual prologue, as well as in a number of other scenes, in "Silk Hosiery," starring Enid Bennett, which will be shown at the Princess Theater Friday.

In the prologue, Enid Bennett, in the role of Marjorie Bowen, a modiste's model, is seen day-dreaming amid huge volumes of romance and fiction. The books are six feet high and by means of clever photography, the characters materialize from between the covers, and trip before Miss Bennett like romantic heroes of old. The exaggerated size of the books, the diminutive characters, and the life-sized figure of Miss Bennett appearing on the same film make an interesting study of contrast, and a still more interesting achievement of photography.

"Silk Hosiery," written by Frank M. Hazey, was directed by Fred Niblo, under the supervision of Thomas H. Ince.

COOPERATION PROPOSED

(International News Service)

GENEVA, Sept. 15. — Proposal that the League of Nations should cooperate with the far east disarmament conference at Washington was made in the League assembly meeting today by Dr. Lange, of the Norwegian delegation.

Smoke as a Lightning Rod.

It would seem that a building 3,000 feet above the sea level should be protected by lightning rods, but the astronomical observatory at Mount Etna has not, and does not, need such protection. The observatory is near the summit of the volcano, and the stream of vapor constantly rising from the crater acts as a natural conductor, draining the electricity out of the clouds, so that lightning is seldom seen there.

Eloquent Appeal For Decision For Jesus is Made

(Continued From Page 1.)

are no idle things." In this connection the speaker reminded his hearers that their vile words about God and sacred things were a sure index of their characters. Accountability for personal influence was insisted upon. Especial attention was drawn to a common but false saying, to the effects that people could be good, but have a bad influence. "You cannot be good and have a bad influence."

The power of the mind to have influence without the use of words was called mental telepathy. "I can feel the thought waves, from my congregation. It is possible for you to belt the world with depravity, by the thinking of one vile thought."

The influence of acts, as well as of personality was discussed at length. A number of illustrations from real life were given, of where gambling people and dancing chaperons had been denounced by those who said their acts had led to their ruin. "If you appear at the judgement," said the speaker, "and admit that you helped others to do wrong, but did not do wrong yourself, God says 'you go to hell too.' Don't tell me you can help daunt others, and you walk into heaven's gate," declared the speaker with great emphasis. "There never was one lost but what some one else was to blame." Pagans try to keep a law to be saved; Christians keep God's law because they are saved." It was declared: "You cannot populate hell with gamblers and then get to heaven."

A number of the ten commandments were taken up and discussed, and it was shown that indirectly or directly many people were lying, stealing, committing murder, etc., right along. Boys were told that they were murdering their mothers with their filthy lives, that husbands and wives were killing each other by being mean to each other.

Speaks directly to the Masons. The Masons were told that "Jesus"

was their proper pass word. "If Jesus did not die for me, then I am eternally lost, for no one has lived who has not in some way violated God's law." Those who were thinking that their character would save them were denounced as "egotistical fools." The great congregation was invited to stand for Jesus now, in the hope that He would stand for them in the judgement. A large number stood on the repeated invitations given by Mr. Jones, and at the close came forward as a public token of their choice.

Robinson Shows on Finlay Lot

It was announced this afternoon John L. Robinson's circus will show here Friday on the Finlay lot, on the Danville road, West Decatur. The parade will start between 10 and 11 o'clock.

Patents in Slippers. The thing for well dressed ladies for Fall. Chandler's. —Adv 15-4t

Disease Germs Lie in Wait For You Everywhere

No matter how strong our constitutions, every one of us are constantly open to the dangers of the millions of deadly disease germs in the air.

There is only one real protection. That is daily use of a thoroughly antiseptic mouth wash such as Steroline. As we know, most germs enter through the mouth. Thus, if we keep our mouths in antiseptic condition, germs are allowed mouth wash. Steroline is also highly recommended as a dentifrice. Being a liquid Steroline gets between the teeth, reaching the most out-of-the-way crevices, which most tooth pastes never reach. Steroline keeps your mouth cool, sweet and fresh. Quickly heals raw and bleeding gums and sweetens the breath. Get a bottle from your druggist today. For sale by Albany Drug Co., —Adv.



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But you must hurry if you want a Sellers on special terms. Remember, there were only 50 cabinets in our allotment this year—less than half the number sold in our last sale. The special terms add nothing to the price, yet are a big convenience to you. These terms will be withdrawn when available cabinets are sold.

Talk it over with your folks tonight. Come tomorrow and end kitchen drudgery in your home.

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STATEMENT

The Tennessee Valley Bank

JUNE 30, 1921

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$2,927,764.55	Capital Stock.....\$ 161,800.00
Overdrafts.....2,015.95	Surplus Fund.....161,800.00
Banking Houses (16).....90,500.00	Undivided Profits.....\$45,122.68
Furniture and Fixtures (16).....36,750.00	Reserve for Depreciation.....61,479.29
Real Estate.....9,792.50	Bills Payable.....580,000.00
Stocks and Bonds.....141,244.00	Rediscounts.....23,450.00
Cash and due from Banks.....290,409.31	Deposits.....2,509,947.01
Total.....\$3,498,476.81	Total.....\$3,498,476.81

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PERSONALS

D. C. Almon has returned from Cullman, where he has been on legal business.

Charles Sarver, of Athens, was in the Twin Cities Wednesday.

S. H. Malone is in Ashville, N. C. on business.

Vernie Vest, of Hartselle, was here Wednesday.

W. R. Smith, following an illness of several days, is improved today.

J. B. Cassells has returned from a business trip to The Tri-Cities.

Clarence Fly, of Nashville, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Fanny Godfrey.

Noel D. South, of Blountsville, has accepted a position with Well Bros. Agency.

Shelby Fletcher, of Huntsville, was a visitor in the Twin Cities this week.

George Mainard left this morning for a business trip to Jackson and Milan, Tenn. and Corinth, Miss.

Rev. W. L. Spectman underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils yesterday morning.

Dr. Emily L. Duclos, well known optometrist of Nashville, was a Twin City visitor yesterday.

SATURDAY MARKET

The ladies of the First Christian church will have a market and potted plant sale at Green Grocery Co. on Saturday, September 17, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Advt s15-16



Widows you say? Yes mam we have them. Patents. A sure thing they surely look good. Chandler's

Adv.15-46

SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352

WIGGINS-THOMPSON

Mrs. Margaret Alice Thompson announces the marriage of her daughter, Dimple, to Mr. Hubert K. Wiggins on Thursday, September Fifteenth, 1921, Albany, Ala.

This popular young couple were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith on Sherman street at high noon today by Rev. W. P. McGlewn. Mrs. B. B. Pickens presided at the piano and Mrs. W. K. McNeil rendered several solo selections. Their only attendants were Miss Christine Davidson and a brother of the groom, Edward Wiggins. The bride was attired in a brown suit with accessories to match and carried Brides Roses. Miss Davison wore blue crepe satin with grey accessories, and carried Killarney Roses.

After the ceremony Mrs. Smith gave a reception, the guest list being restricted to members of the immediate families. Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins left for a trip South and on their return they will be at home at 1118 Fifth avenue South.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thomas have returned from their bridal trip and are at home with Mrs. W. G. Thomas on Sherman street.

Mrs. J. R. Johnson has been called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Sandusky, who is very ill in Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

Miss Jennie Alexander, of Birmingham, was the guest of her cousin, T. H. Alexander, en route to the Normal School in Florence.

Mrs. Robert Banks and children, of Smithsonia, Ala., will be the guests this week of Mrs. S. H. Malone.

Mrs. Polhill, Mrs. Foster Pointer and Miss Florence Peebles will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peebles at Mooresville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Peebles attended the Jones Meeting here last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Pryor, of Quidnunc, Ala., were in the city Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Reid, of Athens, attended the Bob Jones meeting Wednesday.

Paul Crawford has accepted a position with the Malone Coal, Grain and Motor company as salesman.

J. W. Dunnaway, of Somerville, was here today.

All members of the Willing Workers are requested to meet Mrs. Foster Pointer at 6:45 P. M. today at the First Baptist Church in Decatur.

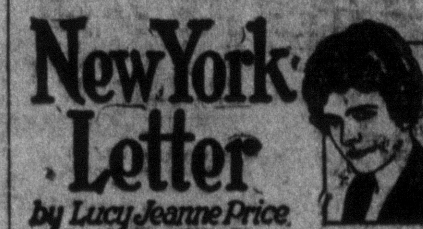
Miss Bessie Cobb leaves tomorrow for Montgomery, to enter the Woman's College.

Mrs. Walter George and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of Winston-Salem, N. C., are expected to arrive tonight to be the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Minor.

Miss Bess Roberts, of Athens, is here with the State Highway Department.

Mrs. W. W. Callahan has returned from a visit to Elkmont Springs, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. McWilliams have returned to New Orleans after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Burt Phinizy.



NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—New York fox hunters are going into the sport in all earnestness this season. Up at Goshen, their favorite gathering place, the Goshen Hunt has ambled its way through recurring seasons, in an amusing but exceedingly mild way. Suddenly its spirit has been animated. Backed by Robert Goellet, Ayerell Harrison, and others, a real hunt has been imported, and excitement reigns.

Here is one man who had real appreciation for the contribution made to life by those whom he enjoyed and who entertained him. Gen. Rush H. Hawkins, civil war veteran, who was killed by an automobile, left \$200,000 to the Actors' Fund of America. The will set forth that this provision was due to "affection for the actors and actresses I have known and the many thousands of pleasurable hours their professional efforts have contributed to my happiness and instruction."

One out of five persons would rather pay additional railroad fare than exhibit their pictures every day. Such is the evidence brought out by the new commutation ticket ruling for New York's suburbanites. Since the regulation went into effect requiring the ticket owner's picture to be pasted on his ticket, one-fifth of the entire number of commuters have declined to take advantage of such tickets at all; they pay the regular fare day in and day out. And the only explanation they give to the wondering conductor is, "I WON'T do it." Which is definite if not explanatory.

With this first gust of autumn air, people from all over the country are planning their late winter travels! They just skip lightly over all the matters of fall hats and winter coats, and are taking passage for parts of the world where such things seem less important. Over at the offices of Thomas Cook & Son (the famous travel organization) they told me the other day that this would be one of the big seasons of their history. One of the prize tours they are booking for this winter is a sixty-one day cruise, to and through the Mediterranean, on the big Cunarder, "Caronia", and the fascinations of that sea and its shores are proving as strong as strong as the most enthusiastic of pre-war seasons. Spain—Algiers—South of France—Naples—Egypt—Palestine—Constantinople—Athens—Rome—Oh! It isn't at all difficult to get the lure of the Mediterranean, even just on paper. This particular tour which will sail from New York on January 28, will be made up of 350 lucky travelers, who will see Egypt and miss our blustery March at the same time. (Nearly two weeks will be spent in Egypt and the Holy Land.) Many more could be accommodated on the steamer, of course, but it is necessary in order to get de luxe accommodations on shore—especially in the hotels—in that part of the world, to limit the number to the 350.

We are now reaching the point in the opening of the dramatic season when the serious plays appear, after two or three weeks of near-summer lightness. "Swords", by Sidney Howard, is one of the most impressive of these serious achievements to be seen as yet this year. It is a drama of medieval Italy, with the intrigue, the perfidy, and the action of those days. Claire Eames, who seems destined for just such roles, and Jose Ruben, who is as subtle as the part requires, play the leads. The play is written in musical waves of speech,

almost as rhythmic as those of "De-bureau". It is decidedly worth seeing.

The dress manufacturers of New York have finally got together in a systematic effort to end "style piracy". Every manufacturer whose designer has originated a style will place on record with the bureau a sketch of the garment with full description and the name of the originator. Models bought from design houses will also be registered by the purchasers. They believe that under this plan if the style is stolen they will have grounds for legal action.

Like Peanut Odor.

The lily and tando of the Philippines have a peculiar oily odor resembling that of raw peanuts, says the American Forestry Magazine.

The most beautiful styles I have seen. The expression of a lady who travels and sees them all. She Bought. Chandler's Adv. 15-4t

Facts and Figures

While figures are not always facts, it is a fact good figures are very attractive. Furthermore it is a fact the figures on our price tags conform to a perfectly developed and symmetrical ideal, that is by way of explanation, we know exactly what our expenses are, by paying our bills promptly we obtain the largest possible discount, we sell for cash, thereby eliminating loss from slow and bad accounts.

We know prevailing styles, the popular materials where they can be purchased to the best advantage.

With these facts and figures in our possession, and by adding a fair profit, we are then at the point where our customers' interest begins—A FAIR PRICE.

We believe if we are such good buyers we should be good sellers also, and give the customer the benefit of a good value when we receive it. Instead of the old time worn theory of forgetting the cost and marking a garment according to its look, perhaps ten dollars more than one that cost the same but does not look so attractive.

From our facts and figures we are led to believe a fair price based entirely on cost and that mark in plain figures is the correct way to price Ladies' ready-to-wear. We expect criticism, but feel our customers' interests are more valuable than careless criticism.

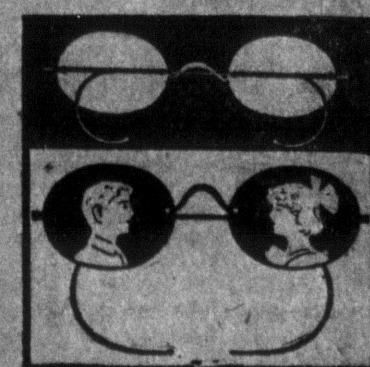
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25c Girl's drawers size 2 & 12 10c
Coat's Thread, 150 yds 5c
100 Scarfs 59c
\$1.00 Enamel ware 50c
25c Box paper 10c
10c Oil-O-Palm Soap 5c
10c Silk Thread 5c
5c King's thread, 3 for 10c
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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK

CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 6th, 1921

(Comptroller's Call)

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$471,784.55	Capital Stock.....\$200,000.00
Overdrafts, secured.....7,107.91	Surplus.....40,000.00
Overdrafts, unsecured.....101.45	Undivided Profits.....13,263.70
Liberty Loan Bonds.....72,231.46	Dividend Account.....227.50
U. S. Bonds.....200,000.00	Circulation.....196,490.00
Other Bonds.....2,000.00	Reserved for Taxes.....1,890.00
Premium on Bonds.....5,225.63	Reserved for Interest.....1,000.00
5% Redemption Fund.....10,000.00	Unearned Interest.....3,165.33
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....7,200.00	Deposits.....499,103.75
Furniture and Fixtures.....16,544.17	
Accrued Interest.....2,878.59	
Real Estate Owned.....823.10	
Other Assets.....17,283.50	
Cash and due from Banks.....141,864.97	
\$955,045.37	\$955,045.37

State of Alabama,
County of Morgan:

I, J. S. Wyatt, Asst. Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. S. WYATT, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me,
this 14th day of Sept., 1921.
B. B. PICKENS,
Notary Public

Correct—Attest:
J. L. GUNTER,
S. M. THOMPSON,
OTTO MOEBES, Directors.

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FOR SALE—One Corona Typewriter with case. Machine in first class condition. Can be seen at Daily office. 14-1f

FOR SALE—Skiff 16 foot cost \$45.00 new—Good as new condition will sell for less than half price. H. E. Hildreth, 324 Lafayette St., Phone Decatur 420 J. Decatur, Ala. 12-6t

FOR SALE—The float used by the Carpenters on Labor Day, this miniature bungalow may be seen at the E. C. Payne Lumber Co. Any one wishing to buy this house may mail their bid to Chas. F. Lee, Sec'y, No. 1030 Tower Ave. 10-1f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A real up to date apartment consisting of four rooms, bath, sleeping porch, hardwood floors throughout, in best neighborhood in Albany, two blocks from Second avenue, to family without children. Address P. O. Box 50, Albany. 14-3t

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WANTED—To sell you a Mascot Range guarantee. Carrell Bros. Bank street, Phone 157.

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WANTED—You to watch for our specials every week as it will save you many dollars, don't be misled come and see for yourself. Your credit is good. Tally Furniture Co. 14-3t

WANTED—to sell the next 3 days of this week one hundred—45lb all cotton mattresses, \$10.00 Values for \$4.95 cash. Tally Furniture Co. 14-3t

WANTED—to sell this week—72-2 in Post Iron Beds in most all colors, a \$15.00, Value special \$6.95 cash. Tally Furniture Co. 14-3t

WANTED—you to know we have some beautiful 3 piece vanity suits in Walnut, Mahogany and Ivory, \$150.00 values, Special \$97.50. Pay \$7.50 Cash balance, \$2.50 per week. Tally Furniture Co. 14-3t

SALESMAN—To cover local territory selling dealers. Guaranteed salary of \$100.00 week for right man. The Richards Co., 200 Fifth Ave. New York, N. Y. 12-6t

WANT 50,000 second hand bricks. D. S. Echols. a 24 ft

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COME around and ask to "see iron all" the best union made overalls and jumpers in America. They have new features that will cause you to buy. Sizes up to 50. J. M. Sears. 14-3t

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A SHIPMENT of Mens' dress and work pants just received. Also big lot work gloves. Get my prices. J. M. Sears. 14-3t

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Aug. 11-m

COTTON MARKET
IS SLIGHTLY OFF

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Additional reactionary sentiment was noted at the opening of the cotton market today and under fairly heavy liquidation selling by the South and foreign interests first prices showed losses of from 37 to 47 points.

The cables were weak and weather reports more favorable. Advices from the South as to the crop condition and the spot market continued bullish, however, and a demand from the trade and from some of the commission houses promoted a rally of ten points.

COTTON MARKET

New York Market			
Spots—50 down			
	January	Open	Close
	1921	1920	1921
	December	1920	1921
	October	1920	1921
New Orleans Market			
Spots 25 down			
	January	Open	Close
	1921	1920	1921
	December	1920	1921
	October	1920	1921

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5c Ladies' Handkerchief, 2 for 5c
5c Mens' Handkerchief, 2 for 5c
10c Children's Sox pr 10c
10c Children's Hose, pr 10c
Special School Supplies

NOTICE

All members of the several councils of the Jr. O. U. A. M. are requested to meet on Thursday night, Sept. 15, at 6:45 o'clock P. M. in the I. O. O. F. hall on Second ave. for the purpose of attending the tabernacle in a body.

W. R. HARLOW,

Recording Secretary

Sept. 14-2t

Variety, sure. You will find something different in our line of slippers for Fall. Chandler's. Adv. 15-4t

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
The State of Alabama, Morgan County.—In the Probate Court of said county.

Estate of Walter E. Haugh, Deceased.

To whom it may concern:
Take notice that Mrs. Grace M. Haugh as Administratrix of said estate has filed in this court her accounts and vouchers, under oath and in form as required by law, for the final settlement of her administration of said estate.

That the 26 day of Sept., 1921 has been set as the day for the examination and auditing said accounts and vouchers, and notice is hereby given to all persons interested to be and appear before this court on said date to show cause if any there be why said account and vouchers should not be passed and allowed, as stated.

L. P. TROUP,

Sept. 15-22—3t Judge of Probate

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
The State of Alabama, Morgan County.—In the Probate Court of Said County.

Estate of W. B. Gibson, Minor.

To whom it may concern:
Take notice that R. E. Gibson as Guardian of said minor estate has filed in this court his accounts and vouchers, under oath and in form as required by law, for the final settlement of his administration of said estate.

That the 3rd day of Oct., 1921, has been set as the day for the examination and auditing said accounts and vouchers, and notice is hereby given to all persons interested to be and appear before this court on said date to show cause if any there be why said account and vouchers should not be passed and allowed, as stated.

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SYNOPSIS.

PART ONE.

Proud possessor of a printing press, and equipment, the gift of Uncle Joseph to his nephew, Herbert Illingsworth Atwater, Jr., aged thirteen, the fortunate youth, with his chum, Henry Rootier, about the same age, begins the publication of a full-fledged newspaper, the North End Daily Oriole. Herbert's small cousin, Florence Atwater, being barred from any kind of participation in the enterprise, on account of her intense and natural feminine desire to "boss," is frankly snubbed, and not at all backward in saying so. However, a poem she has written is accepted for insertion in the Oriole, on a strictly commercial basis—cash in advance. The poem editors are somewhat from the inexperience of the youthful publishers in the "art preservative." Her not altogether unreasonable demand for republication of the masterpiece, with its beauty unmarred, are scorned, and the break between Miss Atwater and the publishers of the Oriole widens.

The Sunday following the first appearance of the Oriole, Florence's particular chum, Patty Fairchild, pays her a visit. They are joined, despite Miss Atwater's openly expressed disapproval, by Master Herbert Atwater and Henry Rootier. Not at all disconcerted by the coolness of their reception, the visitors and Miss Fairchild indulge in a series of innocent Sunday games. Among them is one called "Truth," the feature of which is a contract to write a question and answer, both to be kept a profound secret. The agreement is duly carried out.

PART TWO.

On her visitors' departure, Florence learns through a conversation between her parents, that her aunt, Julia Atwater, idol of the greater part of the male population of the place, but at present out of town on a visit, has apparently become engaged to a gentleman of the name of Crum, altogether unknown to the Atwater family. Indulging in speculation concerning the fortunate youth, Mr. and Mrs. Atwater concede that for all they know he may be a widower, or divorced, with any number of children, and Florence misses none of the remarks.

In her room that evening Florence finds two brief notes used in the afternoon game of "Truth," and unfortunately lost by Miss Fairchild. To that young lady's query as to whether they did not think they had pretty eyes, both Herbert and Henry admitted they did, and had affixed their signatures to the statement. Realizing that neither of the young gentlemen would care to have it known that they had thus acknowledged the possession of "pretty eyes," Florence perceives what a powerful influence is placed in her hands, for among the youth of the town is a boy, Wallie Torbin, friend with a remarkable talent for mimicry and an altogether malignant disposition. The combination has made him dreaded, and Florence realizes that a threat to put Wallie Torbin in possession of the secret concerning their "pretty eyes" would bring Herbert and Henry to heel at her feet and probably lead to their greatly desired participation in their journalistic enterprise.

Among the two uncertainties with her knowledge of their awful secret, they make complete submission and Florence becomes the undisputed master mind of the Oriole.

In the next issue, with which the erstwhile proprietors of the sheet have little to do, editors, among the "never items" is related the engagement of Miss Julia Atwater to Mr. Crum, the gentleman being referred to as a widower, also divorced, and with a "great many children."

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sequences to Noble Dill, which they had sketched with some intentional exaggeration, and decidedly without the staggering seriousness attributed to their predictions by their daughter. They did not even notice her expression when Mr. Atwater snapped on the light, in order to read, and she went quietly out of the library and up to her own room.

On the floor, near her bed, where Patty Fairchild had left her coat and hat, Florence made her second discovery. Two small, folded slips of paper lay there, dropped by Miss Fairchild when she put on her coat in the darkening room. They were the replies to Patty's whispered questions. In the game on the steps—the pledged Truth, written by Henry Rootier and Herbert Atwater on their sacred words and honors. The infatuated pair had either overestimated Patty's caution, or else each had thought she would so prize his little missive that she would treasure it in a tender safety, perhaps pinned upon her blouse (at the first opportunity) over the heart. It is positively safe to say that neither of the two varieties would ever have been set upon paper had Herbert and Henry any foreshadowing that Patty might be careless; and the partners would have been seized with the utmost horror could they have conceived the possibility of their trustful messages ever falling into the hands of the relentless creature who now, without an instant's honorable hesitation, unfolded and read them.

"Yes, if I got to tell the truth, I know I have got pretty eyes," Herbert had unfortunately written. "I am glad you think so, too, Patty, because your eyes are too. Herbert Illingsworth Atwater, Jr."

And Mr. Henry Rootier had likewise ruined himself in a coincidental manner.

"Well, Patty, my eyes are pretty, but suppose I would like to trade with yours because you have beautiful eyes, also, sure as my name is Henry Rootier."

Florence stood close to the pluk-shaded electric droplight over her small white dressing table, reading again and again these pathetically honest little confidences. Her eyelids were withdrawn to an unprecedented retirement, so remarkably she stared,

while her mouth seemed to prepare itself for the attempted reception of a bulk beyond its total capacity. And these plastic tokens, so immoderate as to be ordinarily the consequence of nothing short of poignant horror, were overlaid by others, subtler and more gleaming, which wrought the true significance of the contortion—a joy that was dumfounding.

Her thoughts were first of Fortune's kindness in selecting her for a favor so miraculously dovetailing into the precise need of her life, then of Henry and Herbert, each at this hour probably brushing his hair in preparation for the Sunday evening meal, and both touchingly unconscious of the calamity now befalling them; but what eventually encrossed her mind was the thought of Wallie Torbin.



But What Eventually Encrossed Her Mind Was the Thought of Wallie Torbin.

Master Torbin, approaching fourteen, was in all the town the boy most dreaded by his fellow-boys, and by girls of his acquaintance, including many of both sexes who knew him only by sight—and hearing. He had no physical endowment or attainment worth mention; but boys, who could "whip him with one hand," became sycophants in his presence; the terror he inspired was moral. He had a special overdevelopment of a faculty exercised clumsily enough by most human beings, especially in their youth; in other words, he had genius—but, however, genius having to do with anything generally recognized as art or science. True, if he had been a violinist prodigy or mathematical prodigy, he would have had some respect from his fellows—about equal to that he might have received if he were gifted with some pleasant deformity, such as six toes on a foot—but he would never have enjoyed such deadly prestige as had actually come to be his. In brief, then, Wallie Torbin had a genius for mockery.

Almost from his babyhood he had been a child of one purpose: to increase by ghastly burlesques the sufferings of unfortunate friends. If one of them wept, Wallie incessantly pursued him, yelping in horrid mimicry; if one were chastised, he could not appear out-of-doors for days except to encounter Wallie and a complete rehearsal of the recent agony. "Quit, papa; pah-pah, que-yet! I'll never do it again, pah-pah! Oh, leanne alone, pah-pah!"

As he grew older, his insatiable curiosity enabled him to expose unnumbered weaknesses, indiscretions and social misfortunes on the part of acquaintances and schoolmates; and to every exposure his noise and energy gave a hideous publicity; the more his victim sought privacy the more persistently he was sought out by Wallie, vociferous and attended by hilarious spectators. But above all other things, what most stimulated the demagogue boy to prodigious satire was any tender episode of love, Florence herself had suffered excruciatingly at intervals throughout her eleven spring, because Wallie discovered that George Beck sent her a valentine; and the humorist's many, many squandals of that valentine's affectionate quatrains finally left her unable to decide which she hated the more, Wallie or George. That was the worst of Wallie; he never "let up"; and in Florence's circle there was no more sobering threat than, "I'll tell Wallie Torbin!" As for Henry Rootier and Herbert Illingsworth Atwater, Jr., they would as soon have had a head-hunter on their trail as Wallie Torbin with anything in his hands that could incriminate them in an implication of love—or an acknowledgment of their own beauty.

The fabric of civilized life is interwoven with blackmail; even some of the noblest people do favors for other

(To be continued)

COTTAGE PRAYER
MEETINGS ARE SET

The following schedule of cottage prayer meetings for Friday was announced today by Mrs. L. P. Troup, chairman:

Decatur
Mrs. Orr, Line street.
Mrs. Will Wyker, Canal street.
Mrs. B. O. Sims, Oak street.
Mrs. J. T. Nelson, 208 E. Church street.
Mrs. C. S. Aycock, 103-8th ave West Decatur.
Mrs. J. T. Weatherly, 141-6th ave. W. Decatur.

West Albany (Mrs. Rose)
No hostesses reported for Friday.
West Albany (Mrs. Black)
Mrs. Joe Boteler, 614-W. 3rd.
Mrs. Sewell, 407 W. Moulton.
Mrs. M. Simpson, 4th Ave. W.
Mrs. J. C. Jones, 715 W. 4th.
Mrs. Frank Miller, W. 5th (north).
Mrs. Coyle, W. 5th (south).
South Albany (Mrs. Owen)
Mrs. R. T. Kerr, 1217-6th ave. south.
Mrs. W. B. Byers, 1311-6th ave. south.

Mrs. W. B. Oliver, 1207-3rd ave. south.
Mrs. Harry Moseley, 1212-5th ave. south.
No hostesses reported for district 5.
Mrs. J. D. Bell, 1108-4th ave. south.
Mrs. W. C. Johnson, 401 Prospect Drive.

Scuth Albany (Mrs. Burnes and Mrs. Curl)
No hostesses for district one.

Mrs. Nix, 6th ave. south.
Mrs. McElvany, 1528-5th ave south.
Mrs. W. L. Carpenter, 1422-5th ave. south.

Mrs. Robert Powers, 1864-6th ave. south.

Mrs. L. Hill, 1716-6th ave. south.
Mrs. F. L. Watson, 1529-6th ave. south.

Mrs. Amton, 1413-6th ave. south.
Mrs. Rogers, 1817-7th ave. south.

South Albany (Mrs. Burnes, and Mrs. Curl)
No hostess reported for district 10.

Mrs. O. N. Pepper, 307-9th street.
East Albany, (Mrs. Cramer)
Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Wadsworth st.

Mrs. F. Wallace, Jackson street.
Mrs. W. T. Clark, 122 Maple street.

Prayer meetings in all districts.
Fairview
Mrs. W. R. Thompson.

Friday Central Albany (Mrs. Spurlock)
Mrs. E. R. Rainey, E. Moulton St.

Mrs. Alvis Pitts, 6th ave.
Saturday—Mrs. Williams, 6th ave.

Mrs. D. T. Humphrey, Johnson St.
No hostess reported for district 4.

Mrs. Spencer, 409 Grant street.
Central Albany (Mrs. John Green)
Mrs. R. D. Johnson, Sherman street.

Mrs. J. H. Green, 409 Sherman St.
Mrs. Scott Reeves, 601 Sherman St.

Mrs. Clifton Maulsby, Jackson St.
No hostess reported for district 5.

Mrs. D. C. Almon, Gordon Drive.

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